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In re Application of

Takeshi IKUTA

Patent Art Unit: 3654

Serial No. 10/647,537

Examiner: Evan H. LANGDON

Filed: August 26, 2003

For: FISHING LINE GUIDE MECHANISM
FOR SPINNING REEL

THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application:

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the February 1, 2005 Office Action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the *Listing of Claims*, which begins on page 5 of this paper. Claims 1, 4-7, 10-12 are pending, with claims 1 and 7 being the only independent claims.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 9 of this paper and include 2 attached replacement sheets.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

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